

348-J. Municipal authorities may enter upon any highway for the purpose of installing, extending, altering, maintaining and operating a water supply, sewerage, drainage and refuse disposal system, and may construct or repair in any highway a water main, sewer or drain, or any appurtenance thereof upon the receipt of a permit from the proper authorities; provided, that whenever any highway is disturbed, said highway shall be repaired and left by said municipal authorities in the same or a not inferior condition to that existing before entry, and that all cost incident thereto shall be borne by said municipal authorities.

348-K. All individuals, firms and corporations having buildings, conduits, pipes, tracks, or other physical obstruction in, over or under the public roads, streets, or alleys of any county or municipality which shall block or impede the progress of a municipal water supply, sewerage, drainage, or refuse disposal system while in process of construction, establishment, alteration or repair, shall upon reasonable notice from the authorities of said municipality, promptly so shift, adjust, accommodate or remove the same, as to fully meet exigencies occasioning such notice; provided, however, that the cost of such changes shall be borne and paid for by the municipality, the authorities of which are responsible for the giving of such notice. Any individual, firm or corporation, before laying any pipe or conduit under the public highways in any municipality, shall present to the proper municipal authorities adequate plans showing the size, type and location of any pipe or conduit to be laid and shall not lay any such pipe or conduit until said plans have been approved and a permit issued by said authorities. Any such pipe or conduit shall be laid in accordance with the approved plan. Any proposed deviation from said plans shall be subject to approval of said authorities. In case any new pipe or conduit is laid without the receipt of a permit or not in accordance with the approved plan, or any approved deviation therefrom, the individual, firm or corporation so laying said pipe or conduit shall, upon notice from said authorities, remove it or readjust it to the satisfaction of said authorities; but any conduits or pipes laid by individuals, firms or corporations, in accordance with approved plans and the terms of permits given under this section, if they interfere with the construction of water mains, sewers or drains installed by said authorities, shall be removed or readjusted by said authorities without cost to said individuals, firms or corporations. Any failure to comply with the provisions of this section shall be deemed a misdemeanor, punishable under Section 348-O.